

# Special Health Care Needs

## *Adult Transition Program*

### **Mission**

To develop, promote, and support community-based systems that enable adults with special health needs to receive services necessary to make transitions to all aspects of adult life, including adult health care, work and independence.

### **Description**

The Adult Transition Program provides assessment, treatment and service coordination to:

- 1) adults who have reached their 21<sup>st</sup> birthday, have survived a traumatic brain injury (TBI), and are making a transition requiring adjustment to changes in functional ability;

- 2) children with special health care needs requiring assistance managing changes in health care services/coverage during their transition to adulthood. The program also provides administrative case management for the Missouri Medicaid Physical Disabilities Waiver Service.

### **Services**

#### ***Adult Head Injury Service***

Provides assistance to individuals and families, in locating, coordinating and purchasing rehabilitation and psychological services for individuals who have survived a traumatic brain injury (TBI).

#### ***Physical Disabilities Waiver (PDW) - Administrative Case Management***

Provides home and community-based services to a limited number of individuals with serious and complex medical needs who have reached the age of 21.

#### ***Service Coordination***

Provides service coordination activities for participants who have a special health care need but do not meet the medical and/or financial criteria.

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